

Docket No.: 49677-111

**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Akihisa HOSOE, et al. : Confirmation Number: 6820  
Serial No.: 10/073,270 : Group Art Unit: 1773  
Filed: February 13, 2002 : Examiner: L.B. Kiliman  
For: ELECTROMAGNETIC WAVE ABSORBENT AND METHOD FOR  
PRODUCING MAGNETIC POWDER FOR THE SAME

**LETTER**

Mail Stop Letter  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is to advise that the official action purportedly mailed on April 3, 2003 to our office has not been received. Corrective action would be appreciated, including resetting of the date.

Respectfully submitted,

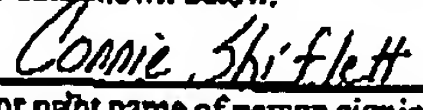
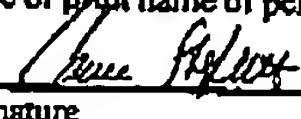
MCDERMOTT, WILL &amp; EMERY

  
Stephen A. Becker  
Registration No. 26,527

600 13<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W.  
Washington, DC 20005-3096  
(202) 756-8000 SAB:cms  
Facsimile: (202) 756-8087  
Date: August 14, 2003

## Certification of Facimile Transmission

I hereby certify that this paper is being facimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

  
Type or print name of person signing certification  
  
Signature  
8/14/03  
Date